1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT TACOMA 10 ALLAN PARMELEE, 11 Case No. C07-5567 FDB/KLS Plaintiff. 12 REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION v. 13 **NOTED:** STEVE SUNDBERG, et al., 14 August 22, 2008 Defendants. 15 16 17 This civil rights action has been referred to United States Magistrate Judge Karen L. 18 Strombom pursuant to Title 28 U.S.C. §§ 636(b)(1) and Local MJR 3 and 4. Plaintiff no longer 19 wishes to pursue this action and Defendants stipulate to dismissal of Plaintiff's complaint without 20 prejudice. Accordingly, the undersigned recommends that this action be dismissed pursuant to Rule 21 41(a)(1) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. 22 DISCUSSION 23 On March 14, 2008, Plaintiff filed a motion to revise the scheduling order and enlarge time 24 or in the alternative to voluntarily dismiss his complaint without prejudice. (Dkt. # 15). Defendants 25 26 argued against a revision of the scheduling order but asserted no objection to Plaintiff's alternative 27 motion to dismiss. (Dkt. # 16). On April 15, 2008, the Court granted Plaintiff additional time to 28

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serve the Defendants and extended the discovery deadline. (Dkt. # 20). Plaintiff was not satisfied with the Order and moved to revise the Order and requested voluntary dismissal without prejudice if no revision was granted. (Dkt. # 22). The motion was denied. (Dkt. # 24). Mr. Parmelee then sent a letter to the court requesting a ruling on his alternative motion for voluntary dismissal without prejudice. (Dkt. # 25).

Defendants do not object to Plaintiff's motion to voluntarily dismiss this action without prejudice and stipulate to a dismissal of this action without prejudice. (Dkt. # 25).

## **CONCLUSION**

The Court should dismiss this action without prejudice. A proposed order accompanies this Report and Recommendation.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and Rule 72(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the parties shall have ten (10) days from service of this Report and Recommendation to file written objections. *See also* Fed. R.Civ.P. 6. Failure to file objections will result in a waiver of those objections for purposes of appeal. *Thomas v. Arn*, 474 U.S. 140 (1985). Accommodating the time limit imposed by Rule 72(b), the clerk is directed to set the matter for consideration on **August 22**, **2008**, as noted in the caption.

DATED this 6th day of August, 2008.

Karen L. Strombom

United States Magistrate Judge